

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT
7 PER CENT LOAN (No) of 1886,
SIXTH DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE AND DRAWN BONDS
of this LOAN will be payable at the Office of
the Corporation on and after the 30th instant.

Lists of Drawn Bonds can be obtained on
application to the undersigned.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANTUNG BANKING
CORPORATION,
Agents issuing the Loan.

G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 30th September, 1893. 2045

PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS.
EMBROIDERIES & CURIOS.

The Undersigned has received instructions
to Sell by Public Auction, on
SATURDAY,
the 5th October, 1893, commencing at 2.30 P.M.,
at his Saleroom, 10, Desford Street,

A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF
OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS
AND CURIOS.

JUST RECEIVED FROM PEKING,
Comprising—

FINE OLD PEKING ENAMELS, Old Blue,
Five-Coloured, Black, Blue and Gold, Hawthorn
and Ixperia and other designs. Also YAES,
JARS, BASINS, and TRAYS from the MING
DYNASTY and Kites of KANGHI downwards;
Very Fine Five-Coloured Old SCREENS, Old
Snuffbox LACQUER, Old and Five-Coloured
PEKING SNUFF-BOTTLES, BRONZES,
IVORIES, Very Fine Old SILK EMBROI-
DERIES, and other CURIOS.

The show will be on Friday next,
and Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale.

Terms of SALE—Cash on delivery.
G. E. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 30th September, 1893. 2041

THE SHARE LIST CLOSES AFTER
THE ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER
CLARA FROM TONKIN.

THE HONGKONG LIME AND CEMENT
WORKS, LIMITED.

To be Incorporated under the Companies
Ordinances 1864-1880.

CAPITAL £250,000
DIVIDED INTO 50,000 SHARES OF £5 EACH.

Payable, £1 on Application, £1 on Allotment.
Balance, as required, on each call.

Directors and their friends and will be allotted in full; the remainder are now offered for Public Subscription in Tonkin and Hongkong.

The following is Mr. HAYLAW's Report on the Property to be purchased by the Company:

26th September, 1889.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE HONGKAY LIME AND CEMENT WORKS, LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to hand you my report on the proposed company's works at Hongay.

The original concession was 500 metres (1,640ft. 5in.) long and 500 metres (1,640ft. 5in.) wide; of this the owner proposes to sell to you 200 metres (656ft. 10in.) wide, 500 metres (1,640ft. 5in.) long and 500 metres (1,640ft. 5in.) wide. The area of nearly 150,000 square metres (1,518,580 square feet), of fairly level ground, with Kilns, Engines, Mills, Sinks, and all materials, reserving the right of extension.

The site is very well attended, with a sea front

fly, opposite to the wind of the "barbadoes" down the creek. This key is beautifully sheltered from all winds, and the anchorage, and is deep enough for large steamers. There is a plentiful supply of good and fresh water on the site, and further permission has been obtained from the Government to divert a valley to the North of the lot into a freshwater Reservoir.

The cement is an artificial cement, and is a heavy one such as Portland cement, which it closely resembles. It is of a good color and weighs 420 lbs. to the sack.

The tonnage strain is brick and the cement has been used in the construction of the floors, concrete, bricks, pilasters, etc., and giving every satisfaction, but as yet it has been only turned out in a very small quantity owing to the machinery, nor is such good quality as it is capable of doing to be made in the last few improvements have taken place

and weight. With good machinery, proper and extensive supervision, I am convinced you will be able to produce a first class Portland Cement, equal in every respect to the best Portland and with the very great advantage you enjoy of good and easy transport, cheap and also the great certainty of a good supply of coal, limestone & clay, and a plentiful supply of water you ought to turn it out at an exceptionally low rate.

When you go to be got from the banks of the river, the Limestone from the Limestone Islands, & which surround the Bay; there is an inexhaustible supply of both of these materials, which are of very good quality and very strong. The clay is of a fine quality and the clays and limestones used in the best cement works in England, *viz.* the Portland, Medway, and Thames Cement Companies.

After a short stay at the works as at hand, and after careful examination I find the Coal of the District eminently adapted to the burning of Cement.

I calculate the cost of existing buildings and materials at the site at \$12,000, but details of the work to be making and the cost of the use of New Machinery I will forward you in a day or two.

Herewith Analysis of Three Cements and a Hydraulic Lime showing comparative constituents of the Clay and Lime used in England and at Hongay.

	Portland Cement	Hongay Hydraulic Light Cement	Hydraulic Cement	Lime
Carbonate of Lime.....	77.00	71.55	74.00	\$8.00
Carbonate of Magnesia.....	0.89	0.89	traces	15.00
Organic Matter.....	traces	0.80	1.30	0.00
Water.....	2.70	3.50	4.20	traces
Ferris Oxide.....	3.50	2.20	4.00	1.00
Silica.....	15.80	20.10	14.00	0.09
Alkalies.....	0.00	traces	traces	0.00

H. P. HAYLOR, C.E.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-
 SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
 THE Company's Steamer.
 "KONG BENG,"
 Captain E. Jones, will be despatched for the
 above Ports TOMORROW, the 1st October,
 at 12 A.M.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
 YUEN FAT HONG,
 Agents.
 HONG KONG.

